of foodgrains for flood and drought relief does not constitute a part of the requirement of the States under Public Distribution System. However, as approved by High Level Committee, Disaster Management Division, Ministry of Home Affairs, on request received from State Governments, such additional allocations of foodgrains have been made State-wise details for the last three years are given in the Statement.

Statement

State-wise details of additional allocation of foodgrains

Year	Name of the State	Purpose (In Tons)	Rice (in Tons)	Wheat (in Tons)	Coarse Grains
2005-06	Gujarat	Flood	910	—	—
	Maharashtra	Flood	10000	10000	—
2006-07	Gujarat	Flood	4000	2000	500
	Mahrashtra	Flood	2500	—	5000
	Andhra Pradesh	Flood	5000	—	—
	Karnataka	Flood	2500	—	2500
	Rajasthan	Flood	—	2000	—
	Madhya Pradesh	Flood	5000	2000	—
2007-08	Assam	Flood	10000	—	—
		Drought	18800	—	—
	Bihar	Flood	200000	100,000	—
	West Begnal	Flood	10333	600	—

Ban on irrational combinations

1598. SHRI UDAY PRATAP SINGH: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the drug Controller General of India (DCGI) had given verbal orders for banning the irrational combinations and the list was circulated to such FDCs during the meeting of drugs consultative committee held recently; and

(b) if so, the names of these irrational combinations and name of companies who are not complying the orders of DCGI?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) and (b) No, Sir. The Drugs Controller General of India DCG (I) had not given any verbal order for banning of the irrational combinations. In fact, the DCG(I) had issued directions under Section-33(P) of Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940 in November, 2007 to the Drugs Controllers of all States/Union Territories to suspend the manufacturing licenses granted for Fixed Drug Combinations (FDCs) under questions. However, in January 2008, the Drug Manufactureres & their Association field Writ Petitions No. 34777-34781/2007, 35354/07, 38844/07 and 35844/07 in the High Court of Madras at Chennai, and the matter is sub judice.